(b) Members of such advisory committees and other part-time personnel employed under this section may serve as such without regard to sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code (U.S.C., Title 18, Secs. 198 and 203), and section 19 (c) of the Contract Settlement Act of 1944 (U.S.C., Title 41, Sec. 119), except insofar as such sections may prohibit any such person from receiving compensation in respect of any particular matter which directly involves a department or agency which such person is advising or in which such department or agency is directly interested.

PERMANENT PERSONNEL

SEC. 404. The Secretary of National Defense, Secretary of the Air Force, the executive secretary of the Council of National Defense (subject to the direction of such Council), the Chairman of the National Security Resources board, and the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency are each authorized to appoint and fix the compensation of such personnel as may be necessary to perform their respective duties. Such appointments shall be made and such compensation shall be fixed in accordance with the provisions of the civil service laws and the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

SEC. 405. The Secretary of National Defense, the Council of National Defense, the Chairman of the National Security Resources Board, and the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency are each authorized to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their respective duties.